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THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU : If the hon. Member puts a separate question specifically, then only I can examine.

SRI MOHAMED RAZA KHAN : Sir, when this question was raised on the floor of this House more than once, and when the number of doctors resigned is as many as 57, is it not incumbent on the part of the Hon. Minister to enquire into the matter apart from the reasons given here?

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU : Yes, Sir. After examining the various causes for these resignations, I do not find anything abnormal to warrant any further enquiry into the matter.

Industrial Workshop at Villupuram

* 330 Q.—SRI M. ETHIRAJALU : Will the Hon. the Minister for Industries be pleased to state—

(a) whether there is any proposal to establish an Industrial Workshop at Villupuram; and

(b) if so, the stage at which the matter now stands?

THE HON. SRI R. VENKATARAMAN : (a) & (b) A scheme for the establishment of a general purposes Engineering Workshop at Villupuram during the Third Five-Year Plan period has been recently sanctioned by the Government.

Foreshore Estate, Santhome

* 331 Q.—SRI T. P. SRINIVASAVARADAN : Will the Hon. the Minister for Industries be pleased to state—

(a) whether any representation has been received from the Non-Gazetted Officers in the Foreshore Estate, Santhome, Madras, for the reduction of rent of apartments; and

(b) if so, the action taken or proposed to be taken thereon?

THE HON. SRI R. VENKATARAMAN : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) No decision has been taken on the representations.

SRI T. P. SRINIVASAVARADAN : May I know, Sir, what is the rent charged for the ground floor and for the first floor?

THE HON. SRI R. VENKATARAMAN : The rent is Rs. 30 for the upstairs and Rs. 32 for the ground floor.

SRI T. P. SRINIVASAVARADAN : May I know, Sir, what is the plinth area?

THE HON. SRI R. VENKATARAMAN : I do not have the information with me. But the economic rent for the building comes to Rs. 45.